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Store News of

Present Interest

Mesdames Phelps and Wright have returned from the East

and will reopen their respective Dressmaking Depart-

The Art Floor has been rearranged, enlarged

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Furniture and objects of Art. This is opening week

The Suit Floor is already a perfect exposition of Fall styles in Coat and Cos-

tume. Monte Carlo Coats, instep-length Skirts, Vas-

sar Suits and new designs of Shirtwaists are shown in

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## SUIT TO REMOVE BOARD

PETITION FILED AT MARION TO ABOLISH POLICE SYSTEM.

Action Backed by Saloon Men and Democrats-Race Controversy at Evansville Ended-State News.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARION, Ind., Sept. 13.-A sensational action was begun in the Grant Circuit Court to-day for the removal of the Metropolitan Police Board, which was appointed by Governor Durbin agreeably to an act of the last session of the Legislature. The case is brought by Pat Antrim as relator for the State and makes Daniel Reardon, W. W. McCleary and Robert House, the police commissioners, defendants. The complaint avers that the act under which the board was appointed is unconstitutional, and cites the fact that four previous bills for the appointment of such officers had been vetoed by the Governor.

The complaint sets forth that the prosecuting attorney has refused to bring the action, though asked to do so. Some specific statements against the board are that it has caused members of the force to enter licensed places of business without authority and has driven peddlers and venders from the streets when entitled to pursue their calling.

The fight against the board is the resuit of several raids that have been made on clubrooms, and Antrim is generally backed by the saloon men of the city. It is believed to have been brought also in the interests of Mayor John Kiley, Democrat, who was recently elected. The Democrats have stated from time to time that the law would be repealed and that the effort would be made as soon as the new mayor took his office. It is desired to abolsh the present method of appointing police officers and vest the mayor with that of the law, as they opposed its passage and protested against it.

#### RACE CONTROVERSY ENDED.

### Smith Is White.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. EVANSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 13.-A question of color that is agitating the people of this community and which, for a short period, threatened to disrupt one of the local public schools, has been settled. A little orphan girl, Mabel Smith, has been attending one of the public schools. Last Monday a delegation of patrons of the school appeared before the Board of Education and objected to her presence, saying they believed she had negro blood in her veins and that if she was not taken out of school their children would not attend.

The child was taken from school and an investigation ordered. Two members of the Board of Health gave it as their opinn that the child had negro blood in her veins; five were positive there were no signs of the negro about the child. It was proven that the parents of the little girl were white people and of character beyond question, yet some of the people who complaining of the child said they would be satisfied with nothing less than the retirement of the little girl from the

The Board of Education rendered a verlict in favor of the little girl, but she will be taken from the school by her guardian and sent to a private school. The child was adopted into a white family when a baby. It was threatened at one time that should the board decide against the child the case would be taken into the courts.

## SELBY FAILED TO APPEAR.

#### His Mother-in-Law Now Offers Reward for His Arrest.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. VINCENNES, Ind., Sept. 13 .- John Selby, the alleged forger, whose trial was set for this afternoon before Mayor Roush, falled to appear and his bond of \$500 was forfeited to the state. His mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary E. Mayes, who declares she was forced to sign the bond, has offered a reward for Selby's arrest. It developed to-day that several forged notes had come to light in Lawrence and Crawford counties, Illinois, where he had operated.

## FARMERS' STATE INSTITUTE.

#### Annual Meeting Will Be Held at Purdue University Oct. 14-15.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LAFAYETTE, Ind., Sept. 13 .- The fifth annual conference of farmers' institute officers and workers will be held at Purdue University, on Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 14-15. Prominent men from Illinois. Wisconsin, Ohio and New York have been invited to take places on the pro-

The day sessions on Tuesday will be devoted entirely to live stock, dairy, agricultural and horticultural interests. These great industries will be so presented as to adequately set forth their magnitude and portance and indicate feasible ways of oting these interests at the county estitutes to be held later throughout the State. Nature study and college extension work, in the way of farmers' reading courses and suitable home reading, will

voted to conference matters of especial interest to all institute chairmen and speak-The Central Passenger Association has authorized a rate of one fare for the round rip from all Indiana points, at which through tickets can be obtained on presentation of certificates signed by the State superintendent of farmers' institutes. These certificates will be sent out upon application to Prof. W. C. Latta, Lafayette, Ind. Each certificate is good for all the members of a family. While the confer-

The sessions on Wednesday will be de-

cession as to rates by applying for cer-The day sessions of the conference will be held in the new agricultural building. The occasion will afford an excellent opportunity to see this building, which is the

#### est one on the college campus DIED OF HYDROPHOBIA.

ence is especially for officers and speakers

of farmers' institutes, visitors will also be

welcome. They can obtain the same con-

#### Little Girl Supposed to Have Been Bitten Last July.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. EVANSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 13 .- Cora, th nine-year-old daughter of John Young, a farmer, died to-day of hydrophobia. The child has suffered terrible agony for several days past. It is believed the little girl was bitten by a dog in July last, as the father and three or four other people were oitten at that time, when the dog was killed. Before her death the victim showed all the symptoms of a vicious and suffering

## NORTHERN INDIANA CONFERENCE.

#### Meeting at Rensselaer Will Close Monday with Appointments.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. RENSSELAER, Ind., Sept. 13 .- The fiftyfirst meeting of the Northwest Indiana M E. Conference, now in session, will close Monday afternoon with reading of appointments. Bishop Joseph Vincent is presid-The principal conference meets in Trinity M. E. Church and special society and committee meetings in the Presbyterian, Christian and Baptist churches Presiding Elders Schell, of the Crawfords ville; Towne, of Greencastle; Brooke, of Lafayette; Dale, of South Bend; Beck, of 'alparaise, all made very satisfactory reports of the year's work in their districts. Dr. Samuel Beck having retired from active ministry, Rev. D. M. Wood, of South Bend, was appointed presiding elder of the Valparaiso district. President Gobin and sellor Hickman, of De Pauw Univer-addressed the conference in its inter-

sity, addressed the conference in its income. Chancellor Hickman stated that \$80.000

## MISS DEACON COMING TO AMERICA



Miss Deacon is an American beauty who is said to have stolen the heart of the German crown prince. She is coming to America to make her social debut, and will be the protege of

Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont. The Duchess of Marlborough, whose great friend she is, has been warm-

had been raised and was certain all would Berry, editor of the Epworth Herald, and R. Halstead, of Indianapolis, gave a fine address on hospital and deaconess work. Dr. T. B. Neely, of New York, and Dr. W. Society, are among the prominent speak-ers. Terre Haute and South Bend both in-desperately to get rid of the clothing, but being selected.

ly singing her praises at Newport.

#### Indiana Yearling Meeting.

pecial to the Indianapolis Journal RICHMOND, Ind., Sept. 13.-The Indiana Yearly Meeting of Friends will open here Sept. 30 and continue till Oct. 7. The new discipline now in force makes some changes: The "meeting of ministers and elders" is now the "meeting on ministry and elders and overseers; the "representative meeting" is now "the permanent board." Instead of "answers to queries" the quarmeeting "on the state of the church." bas ing their reports on similar ones received from monthly meetings, which shall base their reports on those received from the "local meetings on ministry and oversight." showing "the spiritual condition of the membership, of the attendance upon public worship, of family devotions, of the conduct of the members in their relations to one another and to the world, of Christian work in which the members are engaged, and of such other matters as may pertain to the affairs of the congregation.'

#### Rev. A. G. Detch's Charge. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Sept. 13 .- The Rev. A. G. Detch, pastor of Congress-street Methodist Church, has been appointed to superintend the building of a new Methodist church at Five Points, on Oakland hill, this city. This was decided upon by Bishop Vincent and cabinet and was announced to-day at the Northwestern Indiana Methodist Conference at Rensselaer. The Rev. Detch, early in the week, was called to appear before the conference to answer to the charge of inefficiency brought by some members of his congregation, and his new appointment is a vindication of the charge. The new church, it is said, will be one of the handsomest here and will be the only sacred edifice in the Oakland Hill neighborhood. The Rev. Detch's successor at Congress-street Church has not yet been

## Conference of Christian Churches.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. FARMLAND, Ind., Sept. 13 .- The annual conference of the Christian churches of eastern Indiana convenes here next Tuesday morning, and will continue until the Friday evening following. About four hundred delegates and members of the Christian churches in Wells, Jay, Randolph, Delaware, Henry, Wayne and Grant counties, in this State, and Darke and Mercer counties. Ohio, will be present. The delegates will represent a membership of more than eight thousand.

## Whitewater Baptists.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. HAGERSTOWN, Ind., Sept. 13 .- The Whitewater Association of the Primitive Baptists is holding its ninety-second annual session at Salem Church, three miles east of Hagerstown. A free public dinner, to which everybody is invited, is a feature of the meetings on Saturday and Sunday. The affairs of the association are reported in good condition and a decided growth is manifest in its membership. The session will come to a close Sunday afternoon.

## INDIANA OBITUARY.

#### Mrs. James Oliver, Wife of the Plow Manufacturer, of South Bend.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Sept. 13.-Mrs. receive attention at the Tuesday evening James Oliver, wife of the well-known pioneer plow manufacturer, died here tonight, aged seventy years. She had been in poor health for a number of years and critically ill for the past week. She is survived by her husband, a son, Joseph D. Oliver, and a daughter, Mrs. George

> Mrs. Judith King Anderson Niles. LAPORTE, Ind., Sept. 13.-Mrs. Judith King Anderson Niles, a literary woman of northern Indiana and the wife of William Niles, retired manufacturer, lawyer and capitalist, died here to-day of a complication of diseases, aged fifty-three years. Mrs. Niles had traveled extensively and was a writer of ability.

## Other Deaths in the State.

RICHMOND, Ind., Sept. 13.-Newton Hunt, aged sixty-nine years, died this morning of typhoid fever. A wife and seven children survive. Funeral Monday afternoon at Elkhorn. Arthur W. Hampton, aged forty years, a well-known man, died this morning of John S. Clawson, aged seventy-three years, died this morning.

## GIRLS WILL RETURN.

#### Strike in Pioneer Hat Works Settled by the Union.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WABASH, Ind., Sept. 13 .- At a meeting of the members of the Wabash branch of the United Hatters of America this afternoon a resolution was adopted favoring the return to work of the eighty girls, employed as hat trimmers at the Pioneer works, this city, who went on strike yesterday afternoon, closing down the establishment and throwing 300 persons out of work. The union hatters say the girls acted without an understanding of the situation and without the approval of the hat workers, who have a scale for the present year. The hatters say that inasmuch as the factory is running on a scale on which the output of hats has been sold, it would work an in justice to the proprietor to demand an advance in any department. They have induced the girls to reconsider their action, and the latter will go to work Monday at the old figure. Later, and at the expiration of the scale, they will demand the advance

#### for which they struck. EXPLOSION OF GASOLINE.

#### Miss Della Wright, of Wabash, Burned to Death.

pecial to the Indianapolis Journal. WABASH, Ind., Sept. 13 .- An accident which resulted this morning in the agonizing death of Miss Della Wright, the pretty young daughter of Rev. J. H. Wright, pas-

of \$200,000 of the twentieth century fund | tor of the Dunkard Church, ten miles northeast of this city, took place last evenbe. Dr. L. G. Brown, assistant editor of | ing. The young woman was at home alone, the Western Christian Advocate, Dr. J. L. her parents having been called to attend a funeral some miles distant, and she took a Dr. W. V. Keeley, editor of the Methodist | can of gasoline to cleanse her clothing. Not Review, addressed the conference. Dr. W. | knowing there was a fire in the cooking stove, she set the gasoline can on the hearth. The heat ignited the gasoline and caused it to explode. The gasoline thrown P. Thirkield, general secretary of the on Miss Wright's dress instantly flashed Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education up, enveloping her in flames. Shrieking vited the conference next year, South Bend | was unsuccessful. Mrs. John Royer, living near, heard her cries and went to the rescue, but not until all her clothing, save the waistband of her dress and her shoes, were Her body was charred and her

#### Hot Saloon Fight.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. HUNTINGTON, Ind., Sept. 13 .- One of the most hotly-contested cases that has ever been brought up in the Commissionoversight," and is composed of ministers, ers' Court of Huntington county is now before that body. The case has been at issue for several days, and the end will terly meetings are to report to the yearly | not be reached for at least a week. The case is brought about by Thomas Jacobs applying for a liquor license. Jacobs has been running a saloon in the Third ward for some years, and when he advertised for his license this summer the members of the W. C. T. U. planned to run the saloon out. With this object in view the women circulated a petition which was signed by over five hundred men, a majority of the voters in that ward. The matter was presented to the commissloners last Wednesday, at the time Mr.

Jacobs applied for his license. Both sides are represented by legal assistance, and the attorneys for Jacobs are compelling every remonstrator to appear in court and testify to his signature. In this manner a number of names have been stricken from the list, but still the women have their required number. Interest is at a high pitch and the courtroom is crowded each day.

### Window Glass Factory to Start.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. HARTFORD CITY, Ind., Sept. 13 .- At a meeting of the stockholders of the Blackford Glass Company here to-day it was decided to start their window glass factory Monday morning. This will be the first of Hartford City's five window glass concerns to go into operation, and is the first in Indiana to start on that date. In going into blast the Blackford Company states it is not violating any agreement with any combination, for the reason that it belongs to none. The company is co-operative and the members all belong to L. A. 300, but they voted unanimously to start their factory. The Blackford is a twelve-pot concern and employs more than one hundred

It is reported that the Eureka Co-operattive Window Glass Company of Upland will also start to blow Monday. pendent factory of the National Window and Bent Glass Company of Montpelier, which was reported to be getting ready to go into blast Monday, will not do so. It is a member of the Independent Glass Company and has more than a \$10,000 forfeit in the hands of the company not to violate any of its agreements.

#### Woodard Lodge Team Leaves. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

RICHMOND, Ind., Sept. 13 .- The team of Woodard Lodge of Odd Fellows, this city, exemplifying third degree work, will leave for Des Moines, Ia., to-morrow to attend the meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge and participate in the third degree contests. Last year at the Sovereign Lodge meeting the Woodard team won first honors, and is hopeful of retaining them this year. The members have been hard at work, and last night exemplified the third degree in what lave been an almost perfec manner. The team as it will appear on the floor at Des Moines includes the following: B. A. Bescher, captain; W. A. Ball, E. V. Batchelor, E. C. Bond, J. F. Bailey, George W. Cox, Sanford Craig, G. Duke, E. J. Dean, E. A. Elmore, Frank Evans, O. B. Huff, W. F. Huff, E. B. Huff, F. Ibaugh, f. M. Knapp, N. H. Kenley, W. C. Lantz, E. Muhl, G. Muhl, J. C. F. Meyers, William McBride, T. C. Parker, Harry Shep-herd, E. E. Stevenson, W. A. Thomas, H. Thomas, Charles Thomas, W. J. Toliver and William H. Ward.

## Two Family Rennions.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. COVINGTON, Ind., Sept. 13 .- The Myers and Boord families each had their annual reunions last week. At the former there were nearly 500 people present, most of them immediate relatives of the original Myers stock. The reunion was held on ground entered seventy-three years ago by Jacob and Catharine Myers. Five of their children were present, John Myers, aged ninety; Eli Myers, aged eighty-eight; Mrs. Molly Fine, aged seventy-nine; Harrison Myers, aged seventy-six; Elijah Myers, aged seventy-one. Jacob Myers and wife came to Indiana from North Carolina in 1810, but with the beginning of the Indian troubles in this part of the State returned to North Carolina till 1830, when they came back to Indiana. At the Boord reunion there were 175 in attendance, representing four generations and five different States. Every branch of the family was represented.

## Big Damage Suit Filed.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LAPORTE, Ind., Sept. 13 .- The largest personal injury damage suit ever brought n Laporte county was filed to-day in the Laporte Circuit Court by Charles D. Dolan, of Elkhart, through Attorney Frank E. Osborne against the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad Company. Dolan asks for \$50,000 for injuries received in a Lake Shore wreck here, Sunday, July 21, 1901, as a result of which it was necessary to amputate his right leg. He was employed as brakeman on the train which was wrecked. At the time of the accident Dolan was pinioned in the wreck for two hours before rescuers reached him.

## Purchase of Gas Holdings.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARION, Ind., Sept. 13 .- R. G. Kerlin, who is at the head of a number of glass and oil companies, and whose home is in Toledo, has purchased the gas holdings of the Canton Glass Company in West Marion. Included in this deal are several hundred acres of leased land, a number of gas wells and about six miles of pipe line.

#### Old Drill Team on Deck. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

Marion Canton for three successive years held the world's championship for drilling. | sociation. At the end of the third year it was ruled out of the contests, as no other organization could compete with it. The new canton was organized last February with an entirely different membership. It has the same drillmaster as the old canton, Capt.

## Two Attempts at Suicide.

the Des Moines meeting.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. CONNERSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 13 .- Sometime during the night Mrs. Ollie Kay, a young grass widow, took a dose of poison at her home in the south part of the city. Her condition was discovered about 3 o'clock a. m. A physician was summoned, but notwithstanding his efforts, no hope is entertained for her recovery. Despondency over a love affair is the supposed

About the same time a colored woman named Amanda Brown attempted to end her life by taking poison, but she was dis-

#### Freight Wreck at Marion. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

covered in time and will recover.

MARION, Ind., Sept. 13 .- Traffic on the C., R. & M. was tied up several hours this afternoon by a bad freight wreck on the trestle work just east of the Big Four and Clover Leaf crossings in this city. The wreck occurred at the point where the trestle work joins the embankment. A car broke down and four cars were pitched off the trestle, which is twenty-five feet high. The cars were demolished but no one was

#### John A. Logan Acquitted. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

RICHMOND, Ind., Sept. 13 .- John A. Logan, charged with arson, was acquitted by the jury. The case went to the jury at 6 o'clock last evening and the verdict was returned at 9 o'clock this morning. Logan was until a year ago in the livery business. His stable was twice damaged by fire and the circumstances connected with the fires resulted in his arrest.

## Injured Three Years Ago.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LAFAYETTE, Ind., Sept. 13.-Frank Kennedy, a young farmer living near Montmorenci, who three years ago sprained his ankle by jumping from a wagon, underwent an operation to-day for the amputation of his left leg. Last June the leg began to give him trouble and doctors found that the sprain had never healed, but that the bones of the ankle had decayed. This made necessary the amputation.

#### Indiana Weddings. COCHRAN-O'NEAL.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. RICHMOND, Ind., Sept. 13 .- Dr. I. Cochran, a well-known local dentist, and Miss Effa O'Neal were married last even ing at the parsonage of St. Mary's Catholic Church by the Rev. Julius Mattingly. Afterward supper was served at the home of the bride's parents.

## Two Barns Burn.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. PORTLAND, Ind., Sept. 13.-Reports reached here of the burning of the barns of E. J. Kinney and George Brookhart, both near Geneva. In the latter several farm animals were burned. The loss in each case is \$3,000. The Kinney fire is said to have been of incendiary origin.

#### W. K. Smith Dies of Lockjaw. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Sept. 13.-W.

Smith, after suffering for six days in terrible agony with lockjaw, died to-night. aged fifty-eight. He was traveling representative for the Swift Packing Company of Chicago, and leaves a family. Decision Favoring Street Venders.

#### Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARION, Ind., Sept. 13.-Mayor Kiley

rendered a decision in court this morning to the effect that street venders are not guilty of obstructing the streets, and that they have a right to sell their goods on the public streets and sidewalks. Preachers Lose First Case. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

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Indiana Notes.

#### RICHMOND.-Dean R. L. Kelley, who was recently appointed acting president of Earlham College, will not give up his work Dan Gunder, and expects to win honors at | as instructor in psychology. His new duties will not interfere with his instruction work. \* Prof. William C. Dennis, of this city, son of Prof. David W. Dennis, has been admitted to the bar here and has gone to Champaign. Ill., to take the position of associate professor in law at the University of Illinois, \* \* \* Leo Adams, who de serted his wife and two children at Columbus, Ind., and was arrested at the instance of the parents of Miss Ida May Tull,

of Centerville, the two having gone away together, was fined \$50 and sentenced to three months in the county jail. ELWOOD.-The Elwood exchange of the Delaware and Madison County Telephone Company will be placed in operation Tuesday evening or Wednesday morning under the management of A. W. Martner. There are about 250 instruments connected with the exchange to start with, and this is expected to be materially increased. Toll service with a large number of cities in this part of the State will be furnished.

HARTSVILLE .- The Thirty-eighth Indian Regimental Association will hold its annual reunion at Marengo, Crawford county Sept. 16. This was one of the hardest fighting regiments during the war, the casualties numbering 834. Major Richards and Major Glover, of Indianapolis, were members of the regiment. COVINGTON .- A local grain dealer of

fered a prize of \$20 in gold to the farmer who would haul to his granary the largest load of oats. John Warrick won the money with a load that weighed out 440 bushels and ten pounds. Other loads in competition weighed out 337, 387 and 256

RUSHVILLE.-The grand jury has reported an indictment against Rolla A. Clingman for murder. He is the man who shot W. Stewart Miller near Homer, this county. The date for trial has not been

MORRISTOWN.-The Morristown Sun. the only newspaper published here, will change hands Oct. 1, George A. Moormann having sold the plant to Ira N. Mallory, of Nunda, Ill. Mr. Moormann will open a job printing establishment in Indianapolis. MARION.-The case against Thomas Hawkins for the murder of Irvin Dye was dismissed in the mayor's court Saturday morning on motion of the prosecutor, the grand jury having failed to indict the pris-

LAFAYETTE.-The school attendance for this year was announced to-day by Superintendent of Schools R. K. Bedgood, There are 2,414 pupils in the public schools, against 2,357 last year, a gain of fifty-seven. TERRE HAUTE.-The naval recruiting station which was opened here the first of the week closed at noon Saturday. About thirty recruits were accepted and as many rejected HAMMOND.-The cornerstone of the new

Lake County Superior Court building will be laid Sept. 18 with pretentious cere-

## DEFECTIVE FLUES THE CAUSE.

#### Houses of Theresa Hinds and Charles Dwyer Damaged. A defective flue in the home of Charles

Dwyer, 3716 Glennview drive, yesterday evening at 6 o'clock, was the cause of the house burning to the ground and most of the furniture being destroyed. The house was owned by Charles Comer. It was at the end of the city limits, near Brightwood. When the fire was discovered efforts were made by neighbors to extinguish the flames, but without success. By the time the department arrived the house was nearly destroyed. The loss is estimated at The home of Theresa Hinds, 617 North Davidson street, was badly damaged by

fire last night at 11 o'clock, as the result of a defective flue. The fire was confined mainly to the roof, and was extinguished with a loss of about \$150.

## MURDERED BY TRAMPS.

#### Woman Criminally Assaulted and Her Clothes Set on Fire.

BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 13.-Mrs. Kate Fournell, living with her parents near Steinhauer, was last night criminally assaulted by tramps, who then murdered her and dragged her body into the yard, where they set fire to her clothing. When found the clothing was entirely burned from the body. The woman had been left in charge home by her mother and brother. who had gone to town, and who discovered MARION, Ind., Sept. 13.—Marion Canton,
No. 6, I. O. O. F., will leave to-night for
Des Moines, Ia., to enter the drill contests
of the Sovereign Grand Lodge. The old

Special to the indianapolis Journal.

VINCENNES, Ind., Sept. 13.—The jury in
the first of the liquor cases here found for
the defendant. There are sixty-four other
the defendant. There are sixty-four other
cases against liquor men upon affidavits

Who had gone to town, and who discovered
her dead body when they returned to-day.
The men had evidently broken open the
house, which they looted after committing
the defendant. There are sixty-four other
been put on the trail.

# NEELY SUES FOR \$6,000

WANTS RETURN OF MONEY TAKEN AT TIME OF HIS ARREST.

Cubans Also Wish the Sum in Dispute to Offset Part of the Em-

bezzled Postal Funds.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.-Information has been received at the War Department that C. F. W. Neely has instituted proceedings in New York to recover the \$6,000 which was found upon him at the time of his arrest in Cuba. This money was in the possession of the Postoffice Department, but when Neely was tried it was turned over to the War Department as one of the exhibits in the case. It was sent to Cuba and returned to the United States, and now is at the War Department. It will not be given up except by a decree of the court deciding into whose possession it should be given. It is understood the Cuban government has given intimation that the money should be turned over to its treasury to compensate it for the loss by Neely. but the pardon of Neely raises the interesting question whether that government has not forfeited all claim against Neely

#### he was originally arrested. Spanish Consul Ill-Treated.

or the money found in his possession when

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13 .- The War Department, at the instance of the Department of State, is conducting an examination into the circumstances attending the reported ill-treatment of the Spanish consul on the Island of Cebu last summer. In some way the consul came before one of the judges, who was a native Filipino, and who, it is alleged, used his office to oppress and insult the consul. The matter was brought to the attention of the State Department recently by a polite but firm note from Senor Ojeda, the newly appointed Spanish minister, and, unable to reply in its ignorance of the facts, the State Department was obliged to refer the complaint to the War Department for investigation. If the complaint is found to be well grounded the State Department will hasten to make proper amends for the action of the local officials.

## Cuban Tariff Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.-Mr. Squiers, United States minister to Cuba, telegraphs the Department of State that the Cuban House passed the Senate tariff bill yesterday. The following increases are authorized: Coal, 25 cents per 1,000 kilograms; sterine beef in cans, fresh beef, fresh mutton, fresh pork, salt beef, salt pork, jerked beef, bacon, hams, wheat flour, codfish, herring, husked rice, coffee, eggs, olives, cider and beer, 50 per cent.; soap, starch, poultry, condensed milk, beans, peas, onions, potatoes and alimentary preserves, 100 per cent.; undressed pine lumber, 40 cents per cubic meter; lard, 80 per cent.; cheese, butter, wines, liquors, 70 per cent.; hats, 60 per cent.; corn, 333 per cent.; footwear, 17 per cent.

## Bond's Mission Fruitless.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.-Sir Robert Bond, the Newfoundland premier, has had his talk with Mr. Adee, the acting secretary of state, according to appointment. and, as was expected, without tangible results. It is officially stated that the interview between the two officials was very pleasant and very courteous, but entirely unofficial, and while it is admitted the subject of reciprocity so far as the fisheries are concerned was touched on, nothing was done towards the opening of negotiations. In fact, Sir Robert Bond did not make it appear that he had any authorization to make a treaty, while Mr. Adee, of course, could not embark on any negotiations looking to a treaty without special direction from the President, which he has not had.

## Wireless Telegraph Not a Success.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.-The wireless telegraph experiments which have recently been conducted by the Navy Department between Washington and Annapolis, have not met with a great measure of success. much interference in the shape of intersecting trolley lines and other obstacles to communication having been encountered. The officials having the matter of wireless during the encampment here next month

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telegraphy in charge have hopes of greater success in communicating from the shore stations at Annapolis to the Prairie, out in Chesapeake bay. The Prairie is now being fitted out for that purpose.

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Marine Band for the G. A. R. WASHINGTON, Sept. 13 .- The Navy Department to-day decided to allow the Marine Band to be assigned by the G. A. R.